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No paper will be discontinued, unless at the discretion of the editor, until all arrearages are paid.

Advertisements will be inserted at the usual rates. Persons sending in advertisements, are requested to note on the margin the number of insertions, or they will be continued until forbid, and charged accordingly.

Clerks of the Superior Courts.

AND other gentlemen holding subscriptions to the **NEW MAP OF NORTH-CAROLINA**, are requested to return the same by the 1st of January next. They will be so good as to present them, in the mean time, to such persons as will be likely to patronize the work, who have not had an opportunity of doing so already. The price to non-subscribers will be \$10. Very few, however, more than those subscribed for, will be printed. To remove any objection that may be urged against subscribing, the publisher wishes it to be understood, that none of the subscribers will be held bound, if the **MAP** is not correctly drawn, finished in the best manner, and of the best materials.

From the returns already received, the publisher is warranted in believing, that a subscription of not less than one thousand names will be obtained in North-Carolina, among whom are, His Excellency the Governor, all the Officers of the State Government residing at the metropolis, the Members of both Houses of the Legislature, a liberal proportion of the Professional Gentlemen, a large number of that most respectable class of citizens, the Farmers, and generally the Merchants and Traders of our Towns, to whom a correct Map of the State is particularly desirable.

The publisher takes this opportunity to acknowledge his obligations for the polite attention which has been uniformly paid to his applications for assistance in the prosecution of his work, and especially to those gentlemen who have interested themselves in procuring the surveys of the several counties. Any information calculated to benefit the work will be thankfully received.

JOHN MAC RAE.

Fayetteville, Dec. 18, 1826.—419.

State of North-Carolina.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

David Blalock, }
vs. } Petition for Divorce.
Nancy Blalock. }

IT appearing, to the satisfaction of the Court, that Nancy Blalock, the defendant, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore ordered by court, that publication be made three months in the Catawba Journal, giving notice to her, that she make her personal appearance before the Judge of our Superior Court of Law, at the next court to be held for the said county of Lincoln, at the Court-House in Lincoln, on the 4th Monday after the 4th Monday of March next, then and there to answer or demur to the said petition; otherwise it will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte, and adjudged accordingly.

Witness, Lawson Henderson, Clerk of said Court, at Lincoln, on the 4th Monday after the 4th Monday of September, A. D. 1826, and in the 51st year of our Independence.

LAWSON HENDERSON.

3rd 20.—pr. adv. \$4.

State of North-Carolina.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Equity, November Term, 1826.

Trustees of the Congregation of Gilead vs. The Heirs at Law of William Henderson, deceased—Cross bill, to recover the Legacy.

IT appearing, to the satisfaction of the court, that James Henderson, sen. James Venable, James Henderson, son of Archd. ald, John Henderson and his wife Rebecca, defendants in this case, are not inhabitants of this State: It is therefore ordered by court, that publication be made for six weeks in the Catawba Journal, for them to be and appear at our next Court of Equity, to be held in Charlotte on the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, or the bill will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte, as to them.

Witness, David R. Dunlap, Clerk and Master of our said Court, at office in Charlotte, this 17th day of November, 1826.

D. R. DUNLAP, C. M. E.

619—pr. adv. \$3 50

State of North-Carolina.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Equity, November Term, 1826.

Joseph Wilson vs. George T. Hersey and A. D. Murphy.

IT appearing, to the satisfaction of the court, that George T. Hersey, one of the defendants, is not an inhabitant of this State: It is therefore ordered by court, that publication be made for six weeks in the Catawba Journal, that unless he appear at our next Court of Equity, to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at the Court-House in Charlotte, on the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, the bill will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte, as to him.

Witness, David R. Dunlap, Clerk and Master of our said court, at office in Charlotte, this 17th day of November, A. D. 1826.

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Negro Boy for Sale.

A VERY likely negro boy, of about 14 years of age, is left for sale with me, very low for cash. He is well grown and active, and sold for no other cause than the want of money.

I have also for sale a neat, light second-hand four wheel carriage, Newark make, but little worn. I will sell it low, and make the terms to suit the purchaser.

JOHN IRWIN.

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POST-OFFICE, CHARLOTTE, 3

January 6, 1827.

THOSE indebted to this office, either for Letter or Newspaper Postage, are requested to call, without delay, and settle their respective dues. Such as do not attend to this notice, must not expect any farther credit. In no case, hereafter, will a letter be delivered until the postage is paid, except to such as have regular accounts; and accounts will be kept with those only who live within a convenient distance, are known to be punctual, and whose postages are sufficiently large to warrant the trouble.

Those who receive newspapers through this Office, and neglect to call and pay the postage due on them, must expect to have their papers retained hereafter, unless the postage is paid quarterly in advance. In respect to such, the subjoined instruction from the General Post-Office will be strictly adhered to:—

"Experience has proved how inattentive many people are to the payment of such small debts as arise from trusting the postages of newspapers; you are therefore not to give credit. To save in future any trouble or inconvenience, it will be proper for you to require the subscribers who receive papers through your office, at the commencement of every quarter, to pay the amount of one quarter's subscription in advance, and without such payment in advance, not to deliver them any newspapers, even though they tender you the money for them singly."

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Sale and Hiring.

THERE will be sold, on Thursday, the 8th of February next, at the dwelling-house of Susanna Smartt, a great variety of articles, the property of the heirs of George A. J. Smartt, deceased, consisting of

Corn, Fodder, Bacon, Hogs,



Horses, Cows, Farming utensils, &c.

Also, will be Hired.

At the same time and place, a number of Valuable and Likely NEGROES;

for all which a reasonable credit will be given. JAMES SPRATT, THOMAS B. SMARTT, } Exrs. January 17, 1827.—3117

Clock and Watch Making.

THE subscriber continues to carry on the above business, and has made such arrangements, that his customers may rely on punctuality and despatch. He has for sale,

Gold and Silver Watches,

Gold Chains, Seals and Keys, Ear and Finger Rings, Breast Pins, Lockets, Table, Desert, and Tea Spoons, Mustard and Salt do. Sugar Tongs, Soup Ladles, Silver Spectacles, Do. do. with extra Glass, Do. do. concave for near sights,

Swords, Epauettes,

And a variety of other articles in the fancy way, all of which will be sold at the most reduced prices.

JOHN M'KEE.

Chesterville, S. C. Jan. 6, 1827.—6119e

Notice.

AS the subscriber intends shortly to move from this place, he wishes all who are indebted to him, to make immediate settlement. Those who cannot settle with cash, can have an opportunity of settling by giving their notes, if application be made before the next February court. After that, all book accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection. Those who are indebted to the association of McKenzie & Caldwell, must make immediate payment, as a further indulgence need not be expected. DAVID T. CALDWELL. Charlotte, January 4, 1827.—3115

COTTON

WILL be received on Storage, at the Store Houses adjoining the WAGON YARD, FAYETTEVILLE, at which latter place safe and comfortable accommodations can be provided for Wagoners and their teams.

Persons storing Cotton with the subscriber, if they desire it, shall be advised weekly of the state of the market, and may depend upon the earliest information of any material variation in prices. JOHN M'RAE. January 4, 1827.—6119

State of North-Carolina.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, November Term, 1826.

Wm. E. White, } Original Attachment, levied on }
vs. } in the hands of Jos. Smith, &
Wm. Kendrick. } he summoned as Garnish.

IT is ordered by court, that publication be made six weeks in the Catawba Journal, for the defendant to appear at the next February term, 1827, to be held for this county, and there to reply, otherwise judgment will be entered against him.

ISAAC ALEXANDER, C. M. C.

6119—pr. adv. \$-

Ruffner's Strictures.

JUST PUBLISHED, and for sale at this office, "Strictures on a book, entitled, 'An Apology for the Book of Psalms, by Gilbert McMaster.' To which are added, Remarks on a book, [by Alexander Gordon] entitled 'The design and use of the Book of Psalms.'" By HENRY GREENE, A. M. With an Appendix, by JOHN M. WILSON, pastor of Rocky River and Philadelphia,

DRAWING

On the 21st day of February, 1827.

ONLY 7980 TICKETS.

NORTH-CAROLINA
LOTTERY,
FOR THE BENEFIT OF
THE OXFORD ACADEMY,
THIRD CLASS,
To be drawn at RALEIGH, on Wednesday,
the 21st of February next.

J. B. YATES & A. MCINTYRE, Managers.

SCHEME.

1 Prizes of \$7,000 is \$7,000
1 5,000 5,000
1 2,500 2,500
1 1,500 1,500
1 1,320 1,320
1 1,250 1,250
108 40 4,320
108 20 2,160
108 10 1,080
2,754 5 13,770

3,084 Prizes, } 7,980 } \$39,900
4,896 Blanks, } Tickets, }

In this Scheme, composed of 21 Numbers by permutation, producing 7,980 Tickets, and with three drawn ballots, there will be six prizes with three of the drawn Numbers on them, 324 with two on; and 2,754 with one only, of the drawn numbers on them.

To determine the prizes, the 21 Nos. from 1 to 21, inclusive, will be placed in a wheel on the day of drawing, and three of them be drawn out, and that ticket having on it, for its permutation numbers, the three numbers drawn from the wheel, in the order in which drawn, will be entitled to the prize of \$7,000

And those five other tickets having the same numbers on them in the following orders, shall be entitled to the prizes affixed to them respectively, viz:

The 1st, 3d, and 2d, to \$5,000
2d, 1st, and 3d, to 2,500
2d, 3d, and 1st, to 1,500
3d, 1st, and 2d, to 1,320
3d, 2d, and 1st, to 1,250

Those 108 tickets, having two of the drawn numbers on them, and those two the first and second in either order, will each be entitled to a prize of \$40

Those 108 tickets having two of the drawn numbers on them, and those two the second and third in either order, will each be entitled to a prize of \$20

All others with two of the drawn numbers on them, being 108, will each be entitled to a prize of \$10

And those 2,754 tickets, having one only of the drawn numbers on them, will be entitled to a prize of \$5

No ticket which shall have drawn a prize of a superior denomination can be entitled to an inferior prize.

Prizes payable forty days after the drawing, and subject to the usual deduction of fifteen per cent.

Tickets and Shares in the above Lottery for sale at this Office. Present price of Tickets \$6; Halves \$3; Quarters \$1 50.

Notice.

WILL BE SOLD,

On Saturday, the 10th of February next, BEFORE Doct. Johnson's shop door, sundry B articles belonging to the estate of Duncan Campbell, deceased, consisting of

French Brandy,

Holland Gin,

Rum and Wine,

One Silver Watch,

One Sow and Pigs,

and a number of Window Shutters ready made.

All persons indebted to said estate, will please make payment without delay, as no indulgence can be given; and all persons having claims, will present them as the law directs, otherwise this notice will be placed in bar of recovery. 2117 WILLIAM SMITH, Admr.

THE CHRISTIAN ALM-HOUSE,

FOR THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

1827,

Calculated for the Metropolitan of Raleigh. For sale at this Office.

House of Entertainment,



AND Stage House, at the sign of the Eagle, in Charlotte, North-Carolina, by 1a136 ROBERT WATSON.

Public Entertainment.

THE subscriber informs his friends and the public, that he has purchased that well known establishment, lately owned and occupied by Dr. Henderson, and is now prepared to entertain travellers and others, who may please to call on him; and no exertions will be spared to render them comfortable, and their stay agreeable. His table will be furnished with every variety which the country affords; his bar with the best of liquors; and his stables with plenty of provender, and careful servants will be in constant attendance.

ROBERT I. DINKINS.

Charlotte, April 20, 1826. *89

Attachments and Bonds

For sale, at the Office of the Journal.

From Niles, Weekly Register.

GREAT NATIONAL INTERESTS.

Desultory remarks and scraps illustrative of the progress and present condition of manufactures in the United States, and concerning internal improvements, aiding and assisting every branch of national industry.

The making of the New-York canals did not really cost the people of the state, the value of one cent, except so far as foreign materials may have been employed in the construction of them, or for that small portion of the profits on labor which the artists and laborers may have carried out of the state. On the contrary, they gave a large and wholesale circulation to money and enriched many individuals; and the increased value of property, and of profit resulting from them, must be supported by counting up the hundreds of millions of dollars, if indeed, the benefits of them be within supposition at all! The rise in the value of lands and lots on their borders—at Albany, Troy, Rochester, Utica, Buffalo, and an hundred new and thriving villages which have started into existence as if created by magic—the new employment of tens of thousands of persons—the new commodities transported to market, many of which, of great value, were hitherto as quiescent, or useless because of the want of such market, with the new products of a teeming, busy, bustling and happy population—make up an aggregate of benefits that the mind cannot grasp with any degree of confidence in itself; and to all these should be added the wealth and power caused by the increased inhabitants of the state on account of these things; perhaps directly and already, to the number of three or four hundred thousand! Such are the general effects of canals, roads, and bridges. And besides, the revenue arising from tolls will not only pay the interest on the money expended, but speedily extinguish the debt; and then supply the chief part of all the funds required for the support of the government of New-York! These canals cost \$123,000 dollars, but the actual debt created was only 7,771,000, the interest payable on which was 449,000; but the tolls of the present year will amount to a million! and the business of the canals will go on, on, on, and increase every year, for years to come, until the utmost shore of Lake Superior teems with civilized men, and cities are located where the wolf has his home, and the bear takes up his winter quarters.

Up to the 18th August last, and for the present season, about nine thousand tons of coal, four thousand tons of wheat, two thousand tons of iron ore, fifteen hundred tons of flour, and four thousand tons of other articles, arrived at Philadelphia by the improved navigation of the Schuylkill; one hundred vessels laden with Schuylkill coal will have arrived at New-York from Philadelphia, during the present season. What is the new profit or value of the products or employments caused by this comparatively small work, yet in the very infancy of its usefulness? What is the amount of new capital put into operation? Let it be calculated.

There are about 100 sail of coasters on the American side of Lake Erie; 500 will be required after the Ohio canal is finished, and fairly in use. Buffalo, a mere village before the war, has 5000 inhabitants, and the number is daily increasing. One steam boat on the lake had not sufficient business two years since; six are now well employed. We shall soon have ports on Huron and Michigan. Green Bay will be an important point, and Michillimackinac the centre of a very extensive trade, which will either pass to New-York, Philadelphia, or New-Orleans, by canals and river navigation, every foot of the way! A thousand miles of space has been reduced as if to fifty. Distance is subdued by science, supported by public spirit.

By means of the canals made, or making, the coal trade will be a mighty business and the price of fuel be much reduced in those parts where wood is becoming scarce. It abounds in the immediate neighborhood of Pittsburg, and in 1822, a million of bushels were used by 10,000 inhabitants, including the manufactories. 1,500,000 bushels will probably be used in that city dur-

ing the present year, because of the increased population and business. What then will the great cities require.

Salt may be made in New-York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and the western states, amply sufficient to meet the whole consumption of the country, and will—so soon as the different canals are completed. The price at the works is about 10 cents per bushel. By the canal, salt will be furnished on the sea-board and sold so low, that a small duty upon the imported articles will amount to a prohibition. Its manufacture will convert otherwise useless coal into value, employ some tens of thousands of persons, and annually save millions of money to our country.

The manufactories of Rhode Island, Connecticut, and Vermont, make up a large amount of capital. In Rhode Island there are about ninety cotton mills, and new ones are building! We venture to assert, that the surplus product of the people of Rhode Island, aided as they are by scientific power,—is of greater value than the surplus products of the whole state of Virginia—in which that power is not much used. By "surplus," I mean a value beyond what is required for the subsistence of the people. One person assisted by machinery, is equal to from 1 to 200 without it. One hundred and fifty persons are employed in making lace at Newport, R. I. It is made at several other places, as splendid, and as good, and at a less price, than the imported. Providence is, perhaps, the richest town of its size in the world, and its population rapidly increasing.

The whole manufacturing establishments in Providence and its neighborhood, including a small district in Massachusetts, are 150 or more, and the persons employed in them are between 35 and 40,000. A canal, about to be made into the interior of Massachusetts, will greatly add to the business of Providence.

Revenue of the Post Office.—The Postmaster General has laid a statement of the nett amount of postage accruing at each Post Office in the United States for the year ending 31st March, 1826, and shewing the nett amount accruing in each State and Territory. The following is the recapitulation of the statement referred to and exhibits the nett amount of Postage which accrued in each State and Territory, for the year which ended on the 31st March, 1826.

New-York \$212,536 15
Maine 22,916 07
Vermont 12,305 31
New-Hampshire 11,827 78
Massachusetts 92,428 93
Rhode Island 12,662 90
Connecticut 27,640 71
New-Jersey 15,584 05
Delaware 4,690 93
Maryland 56,046 13
Pennsylvania 118,061 58
Ohio 27,479 92
Michigan Territory 1,735 51
Virginia 67,294 81
North-Carolina 24,505 08
South-Carolina 44,763 65
Kentucky 23,111 64
Georgia 39,428 25
Louisiana 27,477 36
Illinois 2,446 64
Tennessee 16,112 07
Alabama 18,092 58
Indiana 4,996 23
Missouri 5,288 65
Arkansas Territory 785 65
Florida Territory 1,579 09
District of Columbia 11,518 44
Mississippi 9,574 97

Grand Total \$912,893 08

Some thick-and-thin philanthropist has discovered that if a person rises at 6 o'clock in the morning instead of 8, up to the age of 43, he will gain 8 hours a day for ten years, being equivalent to an addition of 10 years to his life. Lord Chesterfield made a similar discovery, that a man would add 2 years to his life by ceasing to take snuff! By and bye, we shall hear of half a dozen years being gained by some other abandonment of personal gratifications. After all, is life so very desirable as to be worth these sacrifices of snuff and snoring?

N. Y. Eng.

It is an excellent rule never to pass before the horses of a carriage unless you are sure you have time to fall down and get up again without danger.